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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 12 January 2005 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☐ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☒ entered in part. See explanation below.

Amendment to claims 10, 19 and 26 is entered.

Amendment to claim 18 is not entered because the amendment would make the claimed invention to be directed to non-statutory subject matter. Specifically, claim 18 as amendment is directed to data structure per se as such lacks functionality and raises 101 issue.


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